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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Listing Of Claims:

- 1. 6. (Canceled)
- 7. (Previously Amended) A method of improving customer loyalty, said method comprising: utilizing a computer to execute a plurality of steps, the steps comprising: selecting a product information related to a product; storing a purchase information related to the purchase of the product by a customer; storing a customer information related to the customer, the customer information associating the customer with the purchase;

storing a promotion information related to a promotion of the product, the promotion being independent of the customer information;

determining an intersection of the promotion information, the purchase information, and the customer information and storing the intersection in a database as a customer incentive report;

wherein the database comprises a first table containing the product information, a second table comprising the purchase information, and a third table comprising the promotion information and a reference to a row of at least one other table in the database; and,

following the determining step:

fashioning the second table responsive to an item identifier attribute of the first table; and picking at least one row from the first table or the second table; and, receiving an identifier comprising at least a portion of the first table; and fashioning the third table with the identifier.

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 (Currently Amended) The method of claim 7 comprising the additional step of delivering the third table customer incentive report to a user corresponding to the user identifier.

- (Currently Amended) The method of claim 8 wherein the delivery step comprises delivery of
 a computer-readable copy of the third table-customer incentive report to the corresponding
 user.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 8 wherein the delivery step comprises delivery of a printed copy of the third table <u>customer incentive report</u> to the corresponding user.
- 11. 15. (Canceled)